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SPECIAL IMMUNIZATION CLINIC SCHEDULE DEVELOPED FOR THE NEW SCHOOL YEAR

In addition to the regular walk-in clinics held at three City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) sites, a special Saturday and Wednesday evening hours schedule has been established to help working families find time to keep their children's immunization record current and in compliance with MPS requirements.

"Making parents aware of these additional clinics will reduce the number of children who are excluded from school simply because their immunization records are not up-to-date," said Seth L. Foldy, MHD Health Commissioner.

Last school year, the Milwaukee County District Attorney's office distributed letters to parents of more than 9,000 students who failed to meet immunization requirements or who needed to present their immunization records to the school. Parents who do not comply can be issued a bench warrant and face fines for not meeting immunization requirements.

Special Saturday Immunization Clinics

September 13, 2003 October 11, 2003 November 8, 2003 December 13, 2003

Locations: Southside Health Center

639 S. 23rd Street

Keenan Health Center 3200 N. 36th Street

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Special Wednesday Immunization Clinics

September 24, 2003 October 1, 2003 November 5, 2003 December 3, 2003

Location: Northwest Health Center

7630 W. Mill Road

Time: 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.